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PESTICIDE RESIDUE ANALYSIS LABORATORIES FOR GRAPES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some Grapes producing States have been requesting the UnionGovernment for establishing Pesticide Residue Analysis Laboratories in their respective States;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c): There is no Scheme in the Ministry of Agriculture for establishing Pesticide Residue Analysis Laboratories in the States. The grape producing States send their requests in this regard to the agencies who are having such schemes like Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) under the Ministry of Commerce.